ment procures a total of 30 lakh tonnes of rice for the Central Pool during the year. The State Government has, however, been informed that it should put in maximum efforts to procure 30 lakh tonnes of rice during the current year and the Government of India would in return allocate to the State 2/3rd of the rice so procured.

Amalgamation of Parvatipuram and Parvatipuram Railway Station

2173. SHRI YALLA SESI BHUSANA RAO: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to combine the two Railway Stations viz. Parvatipuram and Parvatipuram Town in the VISAKHAPATNAM and Raipur line of South Eastern Railway which are at a distance of nearly three kms from each other; and

(b) if so, whether in view of the doubling of the Railway line Government propose to amalgamate both the Railway Stations into one Station?

THE MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (SHRI GEORGE FERNANDES): (a) No, Sir.

(b) No, Sir.

Ownership rights in R.K. Puram

2174. SHRI CHANDRIKA PRASAD TRIPATHI: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that in the recent past Government had declared to confer ownership rights to some markets in R. K. Puram, New Delhi;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(c) by when Government propose to release ownership rights to the allottees?

THE MINISTER OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI MURASOLI MARAN): (a) Yes, Sir. A decision was taken in October, 1989.

(b) It was decided to confer ownership rights on lease-hold basis to authorised allottees in Sectors VI, VIII, IX and XII R. K. Puram.

(c) The various aspects of this decision are under examination.

Sub-lease deeds in favour of members of housing Society of Rehabilitation Ministry

2175. SHRI CHANDRIKA PRASAD TRIPATHI: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that 650 residential plots were allotted in Malviya Nagar, New Delhi to the members of Rehabilitation Minisry Employees Co-operative House Building Society Ltd. in 1982;

(b) whether it is also a fact that lease deed was executted in 1989 in the name of the society but sub-lease to individual members have not been issued despite court orders; and

(c) if so, what are the reasons therefor and what remedial action Government propose to take to issue sub-lease deeds to individual members of the society?

THE MINISTER OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI MURASOLI MARAN): (a) to (c) The information is being collected and will be laid down on the Table of the Sabha in due course.

Supply of essential commodities through fair price shops

2176. DR. YELAMANCHILI SIVAJI: Will the Minister of FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES be pleased to state:

(a) what are the Essential Commodities being supplied through fair price shops